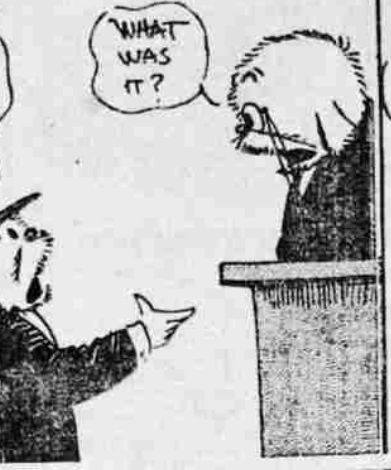


# Perhaps It Was an Excusable Oversight



YOU'RE A FINE PIECE OF CHEESE, TRYING TO CHEAT THE GOV'T—EAT UP YOUR OWN GOVERNMENT? YOU FATHEAD



## FEDERALS DECLARE WAR; RAID ORGANIZED RANKS

"Stop at Nothing to Get Players Away From Major Leagues," President Gilmore's Instructions to His Managers.

By JAMES CLARKSON.  
By International News Service.

CHICAGO, March 8.—With the departure of the Chicago Federals to the training camp in Shreveport, President James A. Gilmore of the Federal League has given out a declaration of war against organized baseball and its American leaguers from now on.

"Stop at nothing," Gilmore wired his league presidents, "to get players away from the major leagues. We shall no longer regard contracts. Ours have been disregarded, so sign any player you can, even though he has a ten-year contract, under the so-called organized baseball."

At the same time the chief of the independents wired E. E. Gates, attorney for the league, a resident of Indianapolis, and directed him to proceed in the federal courts tomorrow against the Philadelphia National League baseball club in an attempt to gain redress in the Kilflinger case.

### Killifer Causes Trouble.

The action of Bill Killifer, the Philadelphia outfielder who signed a contract with the Chicago Federals which he shortly afterward ignored and joined Doolin's team in the Virginia training camp, has caused the trouble.

President Gilmore, who left on the trip to Shreveport with the Chicago team, is highly irritated by Killifer's action, but blames President Baker and Manager Doolin of Philadelphia.

"At the outset we notified the American and National leaguers that we did not think their reserve clause was legal and would not respect it," declared Gilmore. "We asserted, however, that those men held by contract would not be approached by our agents and that we would regard contracts as agreements too honorable to be disrupted. And we were content to abide by this policy until organized baseball showed us that it would not have the same high regard of our contracts. Now we will soon find out how dangerous we are and how easily their supposed powerful defenses can be shattered."

### Art Shaffer Quits.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 8.—Art Shaffer is not going back to the New York Giants. He announced today that he had quit professional baseball forever and was going to engage in business with his father in Los Angeles.

"No more baseball for me," said the temperamental one. "I am not going to the Giants, the Federals or anybody else. I have quit baseball once and for all. I will live in Los Angeles and engage in business with my father."

### Recruit Beats Tigers.

NEW ORLEANS, March 8.—A home run by First Baseman Recruit, today gave Detroit a 7 to 4 victory today from the New Orleans team of the Southern association. Burns made his drive in the tenth with the bases full. New Orleans made one run in its half of the tenth. Score:

Detroit..... R. H. E.  
New Orleans..... 4 10 2  
Batteries—C. Williams, Schulz, Malins and Baker; McKee, Walker, Styles and Higgins, Adams.

### Sox Beaten Twice.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—The San Francisco Pacific Coast team shot out today the Chicago American team No. 1, by a score of 2 to 1. The score:

Chicago..... R. H. E.  
San Francisco..... 0 6 2  
Batteries—House and Fournier, Seculski, Standridge, Arlet, Tozer and Scoullie.

The White Sox go to Sacramento tomorrow to play the Sacramento Coast league team.

At Los Angeles—Score: R. H. E.  
Venice Coast league team..... 1 10 0  
Chicago Americans No. 2..... 0 7 1  
Batteries—Kieper, Harkness and Elliott, Agnew, Roth, Quaders and Meyer.

At Oakland—R. H. E.  
Chicago..... 13 18 1  
Oakland..... 6 9 2  
Batteries—Ladrop, Russell and Schalk, Killguy, Geyer, Christian and Arbogast.

### Yanks Beat Texans.

HOUSTON, Tex., March 8.—New York American league regulars won over the Houston, Tex., league team today 4 to 0. Score:

New York..... R. H. E.  
Houston..... 4 8 4  
Batteries—Cris, Warhop, Rose and Barrett; Malloy, Clarke, Napier and 2 Allen, Burch.

### McGraw Off for Marlin.

NEW YORK, March 8.—A party of six members of the New York National league team, headed by Manager McGraw, left today for Marlin, Tex., to

## Y. M. C. A. Gives Medals for Winners



THREE medals, one each of gold, silver and bronze, will be given by officials of the Y. M. C. A. to contestants who establish the greatest number of records in the Y. M. C. A. indoor games and swimming races. The tournament, which began in October, will close in April.

From the standpoint of interest in the games the tournament has been a success from the beginning and it is probable it will be continued from year to year. There are eighteen events, and the entry list has been large.

## BOXERS END GRIND; BIG CROWD ASSURED

Gilbert Gallant of Boston and Danny O'Brien of Seattle, the two clever lightweights who are scheduled to go over the twenty-round route in Murray next Wednesday night for the benefit of the Murray baseball club, are almost through the hard grind of training and will start to taper off. Although they will work twice a day for the next couple of days, their work will be much easier than it has been, as they are both down to the required weight of 135 and will not take any chances of injury to their limbs between now and the time of the bout.

A force of men will be set at work in Trocadero hall, Murray, tomorrow morning putting in the platform and the elevated seats.

J. C. Smith, who is handling the bout for the baseball club, is determined that the fans shall have all of the conveniences they have when they attend a bout in this city, and has made arrangements for the seating arrangements. The seats will be on a three-foot elevation in the east end of the hall. The ringside seats will be on three sides of it and then will come the second priced seats, while the general admission seats will be elevated in such a manner that their occupants will have an unobstructed view.

The Murray boosters have been selling tickets for the last few days. The report that they have met with the best of success and that half of the house will be sold out before the doors of the hall open.

A large number of reservations have been made by the fans of this city and the largest crowd that ever went to Murray for a bout will no doubt go down for this one. The roads are in excellent shape now and those who have autos will enjoy the ride.

Both of the boys will do some light work again this afternoon and tomorrow, after which they will rest up for the bout.

The men are to weigh in at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon before Hardy Downing, the referee, who will give them their instructions at that time, so that there will be no delay at the ringside. The promoters are determined to start at the advertised time and to run the show off in rapid succession so that the fans from this city will be able to get back at an early hour.

Gallant will leave Thursday for San Francisco, where he will meet "Red" Watson in Jim Coffey's arena on March 20. That bout is expected to be one of the classiest the coast fans have seen for years.

## WANTED—NICKNAMES

A new nickname is wanted for the Salt Lake baseball club; also one is wanted for the Murray club. "Skyscrapers" is unwieldy and, besides, it never got Salt Lake anything better than second place.

The Tribune offers anyone tickets for the "at home" games of the Salt Lake and Murray teams for the best nickname to supplant "Skyscrapers," and for a name for Murray. "Mormons" and "Saints" are barred, for obvious reasons. The plan has the endorsement of George O. Relf, president of the Salt Lake club, and Dr. C. P. Harville, president of the Murray club.

If more than one person submits the name finally approved by the president of the club, the winner will be determined by lot.

Fill out the following and mail to the sporting editor of The Tribune:

Nickname (Salt Lake).....  
Nickname (Murray).....  
Submitted by.....  
Address.....  
Competition ends April 24.

## JACK TINGEY GETS INTEREST IN TROPHY

Four Guns With Two Legs on Cup Unable to Get Necessary Third.

Shooting like a champion, Jack Tingey yesterday stepped out to the firing line at the Salt Lake Gun club's grounds and before a throng of more than 200 trap shooters and spectators who had gathered to witness the final shoot for the beautiful Pommeroy cup, for which the club members have been contesting for the past two months, literally ran away from the field by making a score of fifty-four and defeating handily the four men who had previously won two legs in the cup race.

It was expected that either W. S. Young, Gail Moffat, Harold Lamb or W. E. Walker would win the cup for the third and last time at yesterday's shoot, and by the time the programme began the excitement among the supporters of each of them ran high. That the contestants felt the strain of the situation was apparent early in the shoot, as one after another began dropping targets. Young held on grimly and in the first two events of fifteen birds missed only one. In the third event he drew several hard targets and he also was out of the running.

C. H. Bently, Jr., and E. E. Finch were following Tingey closely and tied for second place, the former making the beautiful score of forty-nine out of fifty without a handicap. Joe Murphy, Ed Smith, E. L. Ecklund and Ted Seehulster came down from Cache valley to familiarize themselves with the local grounds preparatory to taking part in the big Utah-Idaho tournament to be held here in May, and held their own with the best shots of the local club.

In the championship events W. F. Gallagher maintained his lead in class by adding two points to his score and bringing it up to ten. Tingey added four points to his championship score and now leads class B with a total of twenty-two points. The local boys garnered two points and tied with Gail Moffat, who held the lead with nine points.

The total scores for the day were as follows:

	R.	A.P.	T.P.	A.C.	T.C.	P.
C. H. Bently, Jr.	49	49	49	7	49	7
Ed Smith	48	48	48	6	48	6
Jack Tingey	45	45	45	5	45	5
W. F. Gallagher	45	45	45	4	45	4
Joe Murphy	45	45	45	3	45	3
C. H. Bently, Sr.	44	44	44	4	44	4
E. E. Finch	44	44	44	3	44	3
E. L. Ecklund	44	44	44	2	44	2
John F. Cowan	43	43	43	3	43	3
C. H. Hillhouse	43	43	43	2	43	2
Dave Hood	42	42	42	2	42	2
G. H. Rutherford	42	42	42	1	42	1
E. E. Young	42	42	42	1	42	1
San Williams	40	40	40	1	40	1
Jack Lamb	40	40	40	0	40	0
E. L. Ecklund	40	40	40	0	40	0
W. C. Krepin	39	39	39	0	39	0
H. W. Heugren	39	39	39	0	39	0
Harold Lamb	35	35	35	0	35	0
F. D. Shepherd	35	35	35	0	35	0
Gail Moffat	35	35	35	0	35	0
Lee Duxbury	35	35	35	0	35	0
H. A. Luff	34	34	34	0	34	0
A. C. Bain	34	34	34	0	34	0
W. E. Walker	34	34	34	0	34	0
G. H. Johnson	34	34	34	0	34	0
F. L. Klein	34	34	34	0	34	0
D. W. Craig	34	34	34	0	34	0
A. W. Cowan	33	33	33	0	33	0
Ed Seehulster	33	33	33	0	33	0
G. E. Mueller	31	31	31	0	31	0
Dr. I. K. Humphrey	31	31	31	0	31	0
A. W. Johnson	29	29	29	0	29	0
R. W. Fullerton	28	28	28	0	28	0
M. L. Stangel	27	27	27	0	27	0
Fred Ball	27	27	27	0	27	0
D. C. Watson	27	27	27	0	27	0
B. Lewis	27	27	27	0	27	0
H. E. Gorman	26	26	26	0	26	0
F. R. Hickman	24	24	24	0	24	0
Lee Duxbury	23	23	23	0	23	0
B. M. Anderson	23	23	23	0	23	0
Art Linn	23	23	23	0	23	0
B. B. Robinson	17	17	17	0	17	0

B—Broken. AP—Added Pommeroy cup. TP—Total Pommeroy. AC—Added championships. TC—Total championships. P—Total points championships.

## Nelson and Bear Wrestle Again on Tuesday Night

"Big Jim" in a Workout.



Heavyweight Grappler Will Get \$100 if He Throws "Big Jim."

"Big Jim."

LOCAL sportmen were given a new wrestling thrill Saturday night in a statement issued by George Nelson of the local fire department that he can again throw "Big Jim," the 450-pound Alpine grizzly bear at the Empress.

Nelson threw the bear last Friday night at the Empress for the first time in the four years the animal has been on the stage. Nelson put the bear down with a half cross bar after nine minutes of back-breaking work, and the theater full of people who witnessed the unusual and unexpected feat cheered the plucky grappler to the echo.

Nelson went on last Friday at the Empress with the understanding that he was to receive \$25 for each time he threw the bear. He threw him once and received the money and after thinking the matter over on Saturday, he decided that he could duplicate the feat in two trials if Manager Cook of the Empress would hold the bear over and give him the opportunity. Nelson issued his challenge, agreeing to post a bet of \$100 that he could turn the trick.

Manager Cook of the Empress was called by phone and advised of Nelson's challenge, and after a hurried conference with Trainer Stevens, it was decided to hold the bear over for Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, and to accept Nelson's challenge for Tuesday night.

Manager Cook has drawn the line at betting Nelson \$100 on the outcome of the matches, however.

"While I have no personal objection to or scruples against betting, I do not feel it right to make the theater which I represent a party to an out and out betting proposition," declares Mr. Cook. "So I have a counter proposition to make which Nelson has already accepted. It is this—Nelson need risk not a cent of his own money and he need not post a bet, but if he throws 'Big Jim' in either one of his two matches Tuesday night I will very gladly present him, on behalf of the Empress theater, with a crisp new \$100 bill."

"I have arranged to hold 'Big Jim' on my programme for the first half of this week, but if Nelson can whip him I will after the first and second shows Tuesday night. I am not anxious to lose any \$100 bills, but if Nelson can whip him I will fear of last Friday night. I'll be a mighty good loser. Mr. Stevens, the bear's owner, has agreed to give Nelson at least one preliminary workout with the bear before Tuesday night, so that Nelson will have every chance in the world."

Nelson, when seen Sunday at fire headquarters, declared that while he would have been willing to bet to put up the police as a witness, the stranger demanded money from Albanese and an argument ensued, during which the shooting occurred. Albanese's last contest was with Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, here October 12, 1912. Albanese was 22 years old.

Assist Nature. There are times when you should assist nature. It is now undertaking to cleanse your system—if you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla the undertaking will be successful. This great medicine purifies and builds up as nothing else does. (Advertisement.)

Kodak Pictures Finished. Mail us your films. Salt Lake Photo Supply Co. 159 Main street. Exclusive photo dealers. (Advertisement.)

## WOLGAST PROMISES FANS BIG SURPRISE

Michigan's Friends Not Alarmed About Ritchie's Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

Position as Favorite.

## TONIGHT'S RING SHOULD PLEASE

Shaffer Meets Midkiff

ture; Five Bouts

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"

"Battle Royal"